



Celebrating the 4th of July in Newport Beach

Helpful Information for Residents and Visitors

visit www.newportbeachca.gov.

This pamphlet provides important information about activities and street closures regarding July 4, 2017.

Though most residents and business owners are well versed in the City's increased public safety efforts for the Fourth of July, we've included some reminders about what is allowed and what is not allowed in Newport Beach.

Finally, you will find some information to share with visiting friends and family about the beaches, piers, parking and events planned for the holiday.



INDEPENDENCE DAY ***

Events & Activities **



Mariners Park Independence Day Parade & Celebration - The parade will begin at the corner of Commodore & Mariners Drive at 10:30 a.m. and the celebration will be held from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Mariners Park, 1300 Irvine Ave. At the festival, there will be food for sale, and wristbands available for purchase that will allow participation in games and activities. For more information, please visit the Mariners Foundation website at www.marinersfoundation.com or call 949-644-3151.

9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. For more information, please call 949-644-3151 or

Old Glory Boat Parade - The annual Old Glory Boat Parade is sponsored by the American Legion Yacht Club and American Legion Post 291. It will be held in Newport Harbor, beginning at 1 p.m. For more information, please call 949-673-5070 or visit www.alyc.com.

Fourth of July Coastal Flyover - The Condor Squadron Officers' and Airmen's Association, a non-profit organization founded by a group of WWII fighter pilots, will fly four AT-6s over Huntington Beach, Newport Beach, Laguna Beach, Dana Point and San Clemente on July 4. They will begin over Huntington Beach and expect to fly over Newport Beach between 6:10 p.m. and 6:15 p.m. Thanks to the City of San Clemente for arranging this special holiday flyover!

Fireworks Extravaganza - The City is co-sponsoring a Fireworks Extravaganza with the Newport Dunes Waterfront Resort, 1131 Back Bay Drive, Newport Beach. The fireworks show will begin at 9 p.m. on Tuesday, July 4. **Newport Beach residents can walk into the evening fireworks show for free.** Note: The Newport Dunes' gates will open at 8 a.m. on July 4 and there be will a \$50 per car parking fee throughout the day. Please call 949-729-DUNE or visit www.newportdunes.com for more information about the other holiday activities planned at the Dunes.

The Newport Beach Police Department would like everyone to enjoy a safe 4th of July holiday.

In an Emergency, dial 9-1-1. For Nonemergency calls, dial 949-644-3717.

Street Closures and Parking



JULY 4TH FROM 10:30 A.M. TO THE EARLY MORNING HOURS OF JULY 5TH

- Southbound Orange Street at West Coast Highway will be closed.
- Via Oporto from Via Lido to 32nd Street will be closed.

ALL CLOSURE TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE.

PARKING:

 On-street and other public parking will be extremely limited in the West Newport area. All residents and visitors are cautioned to park in legal, public spaces or their own, private spaces or garages.

VEHICLES PARKED ILLEGALLY WILL BE ISSUED PARKING CITATIONS AND MAY BE TOWED.

ALL STREETS ON THE PENINSULA WILL BE OPEN TO VEHICLE TRAFFIC.

However, the Newport Beach Police Department will be monitoring traffic conditions throughout the day and will facilitate additional street closures should the need arise.

Cell Phone Notifications

- ★ On the 4th of July, text NBJULY4TH to 888777 to receive updated road closure information, significant traffic advisories and community advisories.
- Visit WWW.NIXLE.COM and sign up to receive crime alerts, traffic advisories and community updates year-round from the Newport Beach Police Department.

What is Prohibited?

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES PROHIBITED IN PUBLIC AREAS

Possessing or drinking alcoholic beverages on streets, sidewalks, beaches, piers or other public areas is prohibited (this includes alcoholic beverages that have been poured into a cup). Violators are subject to citation or arrest.

FIREWORKS

It is illegal to possess or use fireworks in Newport Beach. This includes "safe and sane" fireworks such as fountains and sparklers that can be purchased in nearby cities. Residents and visitors are encouraged to attend a public, professional fireworks show.

ROOFTOP GATHERINGS

NEWPORT PENINSULA BIKE PARADE

Road closed to Westbound Vehicular

Traffic July 4th, 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

People gathering on rooftops is a safety hazard that may violate building code ordinances. City building inspectors will be working with the Police Department to address those violations.

nd STREET

THROWING WATER BALLOONS, SPRAYING WATER AT PEDESTRIANS, BICYCLISTS OR VEHICLES

Throwing water balloons or spraying water at pedestrians, bicyclists or vehicles is illegal. Violators are subject to citation or arrest.

BEACH & PIER INFORMATION

- ★ All ocean and bay front beaches are open to the public from the hours of 6 a.m. until 10 p.m. (This includes the areas from the Santa Ana River Jetty to Crystal Cove State Park.)
- ★ Crystal Cove beaches close at sunset.
- ★ Please swim near a lifeguard tower as ocean currents and surf can be strong, shifting and dangerous.
- ★ Portable barbecues are not allowed on any City beaches. For those that wish to barbecue, fire rings and public barbecues are available near the Balboa Pier and at Corona del Mar State Beach from 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. on a first-come, first-served basis.
- ★ The Newport and Balboa Piers are open from 5 a.m. until midnight.
- ★ Public restroom facilities are available at the base of both piers.

Beach Safety



- Learn to swim
- Never swim alone
- Swim near a Lifeguard
- Never swim while intoxicated



IF CAUGHT IN A RIP CURRENT

- Don't fight the current
- Swim out of the current, then to shore
- If you can't escape, float or tread water
- If you need help, yell or wave for assistance



★ HORSE MOUNTED UNIT ★

Members of the Orange County
Regional Mounted Enforcement Unit will be
on duty to help ensure a safe holiday.



Fines within the Safety Enhancement Zone are triple the normal amount and can be as much as \$3,000.

Loud or Unruly Gatherings

Fines for Loud or Unruly Parties (Municipal Code Section 10.58.030) Property owners and/or party hosts are responsible for the conduct of their guests. Loud and unruly parties requiring a police response could result in a citation or arrest for those present, and fines for property owners, tenants, renters and guests. If you plan to host a holiday party in West Newport, please follow these guidelines:

- Limit the number of guests invited and don't allow strangers to attend uninvited. As the host, you are ultimately responsible for the conduct of everyone that attends your party.
- Be sure that no alcoholic beverages leave your property. Possession of open containers of alcoholic beverages or consumption of those beverages in public is illegal. This includes alcoholic beverages that have been poured into a cup.
- Ensure that no minors consume alcoholic beverages while at your party.
- Limit noise and raucous behavior. Keep music volumes low and all speakers indoors.
- Do not allow any guests to throw water balloons or spray water at pedestrians or vehicles
- Ask guests to limit their travel in and out of West Newport due to the traffic restrictions.
- Be courteous to your neighbors and take your party indoors after dark. Close doors and windows to prevent loud voices and music from disturbing others.
- Keep outdoor lights on it helps deter criminal activity.

For more information on fines for Disturbance Advisement Cards and Loud or Unruly Gatherings, please go to www.nbpd.org, select Inside the NBPD, select Hours, Services, and Fees, then select Loud and Unruly Gathering & Disturbance Advisement Violations.

SAFETY ENHANCEMENT ZONE

There will again be a Safety Enhancement Zone in the area bordered by the Pacific Ocean on the south, 32nd St. and Newport Blvd. on the east, W. Coast Hwy. on the north and 54th St. on the west.

The Safety Enhancement Zone designation is effective from 12:01 a.m. on July 4th, to 3 a.m. on July 5th.

